

PATENT APPLICATION

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated December 2, 2004 be extended for a period of three months from March 2, 2005 to June 2, 2005.

Please charge the total fee, estimated to be \$510, to ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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